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## FALL RACES.

LIST OF ENTRIES FOR THE SIXTH DISTRICT FAIR EVENTS.

Prospects for the Best Race Meet-  
ing Ever Held Here—Over Two  
Hundred Horses Entered—Many  
Well-known Names Among the  
Entries.

There has been an unprecedented  
number of entries for the fall meet-  
ing of the Agricultural Association,  
and Secretary Thorne says that the  
outlook is for a better race meeting  
this year than has ever been held in  
this county.

Up to date there are 429 entries for  
the meeting, to be held in October  
next, over 200 horses, many of note,  
being included in the list. This is more  
than double the entry list of any pre-  
vious fair.

The large number of entries is largely  
to be attributed to the fact that while  
the value of prizes given for the gal-  
lopers is very largely increased, those  
for the trotters and pacers have not  
been reduced. This has led to several  
entries being made from Oregon,  
Humboldt Bay, Idaho, Montana and  
Illinois, which have never before been  
represented at the Los Angeles meet-  
ings. Moreover, several owners of gal-  
lopers that have never before been  
raced here are to be found in the entry  
lists. The number of 14 entries in the  
2:15 trot, 14 in the 2:17 trot and 10 in  
the 2:15 trot is a sufficient guarantee  
of a spirited contest in each of those  
events, while eight nominations in the  
2:15 trot for all money is a further  
guarantee of a spirited contest.

The free-for-all race was Silkwood,  
Col. Benton, Joe Wheeler, Our Boy and  
Searchlight, the latter believed to be  
the fastest horse in America of his  
age. In the running race the Citrus  
Belt has 20, the Van Nuys, 23; the Fu-  
turity, 24; the Southern California, 17;  
the Derby, 14; the Street Railway  
Plate, 30; the Maiden Plate, 26; the  
Santa Monica, 20; the hurdle race, 13;  
the Western Sprint, 19; the Santa Cat-  
alpa, 28; and the Pasadena, 31.

Harness race No. 1, 2:30 trot—Purse \$1200:  
Harry E. Wise, San Francisco, b. m. Nancy  
W. Gilman, Fresno, b. m. 2-year-old.  
Willard H. Stinson, Los Angeles, b. g. El  
Diablo, by Diablo.

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Diablo, by Diablo.  
Walnut Grove Stock Farm, Walnut Grove,  
Cal., br. m. Sable Francis, by Sables Wilkes.  
Mrs. J. L. Leek, San Francisco, ch. g. Dr.  
Leek, by Sidney.

A. C. Jones, Los Angeles, b. m. Helen J.,  
by Corrother.  
Con Horking, Stockton, Cal., br. g. Harry  
Marvin, by Don Marvin.

Palo Alto Stock Farm, San Francisco, b.  
m. Fanny, by Fanny.  
W. G. Durfee, University, Cal., b. m. Lu-  
cinda, by Sidney.

W. G. Durfee, University, Cal., b. m. Osto,  
by McKinney.  
R. H. Jones, Los Angeles, b. m. George  
W. McKinney, by McKinney.

L. J. Rose, Jr., El Rio, Cal., b. g. Joe, by  
Pike Prince.  
J. H. Kelly, San Bernardino, ch. g. Ken-  
neth, by Happy Prince.

D. J. Perkins, Visalia, b. m. Jasper, by  
Iris.  
J. Llewellyn Davis, Colusa, b. h. Billups,  
by Arthur.

S. H. Hoy, Winters, Cal., b. g. Antecort,  
by Antecort.  
Frank Avery, Anaconda, Mont., ch. h. An-  
derson, by Anderson.

Francis C., by Norman Temple, Jr. b. h. Pa-  
cheo Wilkes, by Guy Wilkes.  
William Cecil, San José, ch. g. Peter Jack-  
son, by Will Crocker.

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T. Keating, Anaconda, Mont., b. g. An-  
derson, by Night.

Harness race, No. 2, double-team trot:  
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May, by Young Thad.

James Thomas, San Jacinto, ch. f. Sister  
Vicky, by Young Thad.

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chita, by (Imp.) Convent.

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## THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles.  
Sept. 15.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.96; at 5 p.m., 29.93. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 64 deg. and 69 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 87 per cent.; 5 p.m., 74 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., southwest, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 77 deg.; minimum temperature, 62 deg. Character of weather, 5 a.m., cloudy; 5 p.m., clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

## The Times

## ALL ALONG THE LINE.

After tackling the milk, meat and vegetables, which are declared to be unfit for food as now served, the Board of Health is going after the water supply. To the consumer it occurs that the board might save time by combining the investigation of milk and water. They are about the same thing according to the tests made.

A police-signal system would undoubtedly be a good thing, but before it is put in operation the superannuated horse that hauls the patrol wagon should be replaced by some sort of a live animal. It wouldn't make any difference how quick the alarm came in if the patrol wagon required a half a day in which to respond, and that is about the speed it travels at present.

The two alleged burglars now in the City Jail appear to have done a whole-sale business. Their operations were not confined to a single field nor were they satisfied with moderate profits. Apparently they wanted the earth. They secured a large part of it, but unfortunately for them a string was tied to it. They cornered a handsome amount of swag but the previous owners have appeared and are daily identifying their property. It seems to be another case of unrewarded business enterprise.

M. P. Thye's proposition to establish a police-signal system and to operate it and the present fire-alarm system has been rejected by the Fire Commissioners. The city now has a question as to the wisdom of this decision. They proposed that the city should pay him a stated salary but should not pay any of the expenses of maintaining or operating the systems. Inasmuch as these expenses are necessarily considerable if the systems are to be kept in good order, his interest would constantly dictate economies that would be injurious to the efficiency of the service. The city now owns a fire-alarm system which is kept in good condition. If a police-signal system is to be established it should also be owned and operated by the city.

## BURGLARS ARRAIGNED.

## SCOTT AND CLIFTON TO ANSWER FOUR CHARGES.

Two Pasadena Burglaries Traced to Them and Goods Recovered—Mrs. D. F. Donegan's Sealskin Sack Sent Back from Fresno.

Burglars Scott and Clifton were arraigned yesterday on four charges of burglary, before Justice Owens, and their examination was set for next Friday at 9:30 o'clock. The four complaints are for the Landt, Patterson, Tiffany and Schoder burglaries. The prisoners will be prosecuted on all four of these charges, and possibly several others, as the detectives claim to have evidence of at least twelve different burglaries committed by them.

Mrs. D. F. Donegan's sealskin sack was received by the Chief of Police yesterday from Fresno, where it was recovered by the police of that city on a description forwarded from here, together with the name of the person who had it.

It developed yesterday that the residences of Ernest Canfield and David Heap, in Pasadena, were looted on an admission day by Clifton. Rings, watches, diamonds and other valuables were stolen. Members of the Canfield and Heap families yesterday identified their belongings among the booty recovered by the police. Clifton was arrested the night of September 9, and most of his Pasadena plunder was still in his possession. Mr. Heap and ladies identified Clifton as a man they had seen hanging around the neighborhood of their residence on the morning of the burglary. No one was at home when the burglaries were committed.

Chief Glass yesterday received a letter from Fred S. Proctor of No. 170 Oak avenue, Sacramento, giving a long list of men's furnishings and jewelry alleged to have been stolen from him by Scott. Some of the property is among Scott's possessions. Scott explained it by saying that Proctor had been arrested in Sacramento on six charges of petty larceny; that he (Scott) acted as his attorney and had five of the charges against him dismissed, in consideration of which Proctor gave him the goods enumerated in his letter to Chief Glass.

Rev. Charles L. Miel, rector of St. Paul's Church, Sacramento, wrote Chief Glass that he had long suspected that Scott was crooked. The clerical vestments in Scott's possession, Rector Miel says, were stolen from St. Paul's. Detectives Bradish and Steele are still digging up goods alleged to have been stolen by Scott and Clifton, and scarcely a day passes that they do not find some missing articles.

Scott and Clifton have offered to plead guilty to the four complaints of burglary now filed against them, provided no more are brought.

Detective Bradish yesterday evening arrested Emma Wilson, a woman of shady character, on the charge of receiving stolen goods. She yielded up some of the Scott-Clifton booty several days ago and strenuously denied that she had any more, notwithstanding the fact that the detectives had every assurance that she was concealing some of the swag. After repeated visits to her place they succeeded yesterday afternoon in unearthing a pair of diamond earrings belonging to a Pasadena woman, two pairs of trousers and some rare coins.

The detectives intend to make an example of the Wilson woman, as she is about the only one of the many who had bought stolen property of Scott and Clifton who refused to surrender it to the officers on demand.

A Police Officer's Fatal Shot.  
CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Police Officer George Grafton was shot and fatally wounded yesterday morning at 10 o'clock by three others, who were endeavoring to effect an entrance to the residence of J. E. Lee on West Monroe street. A second burglar was wounded, but his associates rallied to his assistance and the three managed to escape.

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## OIL PRODUCTION SUSPENDED FOR THIRTY DAYS.

Owners Want One Dollar Per Barrel—A Few Concessions—Wells Also Closed Down at Newhall and Summerland—Everything at a Standstill.

The oil-well closing-down movement was carried into execution at noon yesterday, as forecast by The Times. In the eastern extension the action was unanimous, such heavy producers as Maier & Zobein, the Slocan Oil Company, Capital Milling Company, Rex Oil Company, Parker, Theobald, Brookins & Atkins, Darcy, Chadwick and the Brunton brothers, Nettleton & Kellerman, T. Joyce, A. H. Hedley and others joining cheerfully with lesser producers in the movement for "one-dollar oil." The agreement contemplates the non-operation of wells for thirty days. Two or three drilling rigs are still in operation in the eastern extension, but in such cases the "sand" has almost been reached. Consent to complete the work to the tubing point was granted by the committee of oil producers. The City Water Company's rig was still in operation in the afternoon, also Robinson & Sumner's pumping plant, but both were getting ready to suspend operations.

At the west end the railway companies are still operating their plants. The business of Doheney & Connon being in the hands of a receiver, it is not thought that any action will be taken toward closing it down. The receiver is filling unexpired contracts for oil at \$1.30 per barrel, hence his operations are not viewed with hostility. The Boswell plant on North Figueroa street has been pumping twenty-four wells; it joined in the movement and all is quiet about that hitherto busy section of the field.

The Straus plant, on Metcalf street, was in operation after the hour for closing, but was expected to close down last night or this morning. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Martin was seen driving hurriedly to his plant on Lakeshore avenue for the purpose of shutting off the steam. The Bayer & Last, Parker, Turner, Fletcher, Daggett and other near-by plants have closed down. The plants of the Manatt and East Side Oil companies are still in operation, but it is expected that they will join the closing-down movement.

In the far western extension the American Crude Oil Company has joined the movement, with other heavy producers. Scott & Loftus are reported to be still on the outside of the movement, but are expected within the fold today.

When the combination began to assume definite shape it was expected that some trouble would be experienced with the Rex Oil Company, as it has forty-five producing wells, and is filling several contracts at prices ranging from 90 cents to above \$1 per barrel. The emergency was met by mutual concessions, Dr. Book agreeing for his company to close down during the desired period, and the producers obligating themselves to furnish oil necessary to meet his contracts out of the surplus in storage at 60 cents per barrel.

Information has been received to the effect that the wells in the Newhall and Summerland fields were closed down last Monday, such action being taken on account of producers being unable to secure cars for exporting the surplus.

## HIS FIGHTING PARTNER.

Got Merchant Wolf into a Peak of Trouble.

When Merchant B. Wolf slugged Marcus Medway, a business rival, for calling him a thief and liar, he had no idea how much trouble was in store for him. In the first place Medway rushed off in a passion and had Wolf arrested for battery. Wolf was dragged off to the Police Station by Officer Fowler, who served the warrant, but was allowed to go on his own recognizance. Next day when the case came to trial, Wolf appeared and said his "partner" had taken it all back. He thought that would settle the business, but the court wanted to know who would settle the cost. Wolf said he did not know, but would see his "partner" about it. So the case was continued till next day.

It appears that Wolf paid Medway \$2 to have the complaint dismissed. Medway saw the District Attorney, but the latter refused to dismiss the case for less than \$5 costs. Medway was unwilling to pay so much, so the case was again set for trial.

Wolf failed to show up at the appointed time, and a bench warrant was issued compelling him to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court. Once more Wolf was dragged off to the Police Station and this time he was compelled to put up \$25 cash bail.

The battery case was heard yesterday, and Wolf was found guilty and ordered to appear for sentence today. While on the witness stand in his own behalf, Wolf, in referring to Medway, always spoke of him as "my partner."

"Do you mean to say that the complaining witness is associated with you in business?" asked the court. "Oh, no, Your Honor, he is not my business partner; he is only my fighting partner," was the reply. Then everybody laughed.

## A DOG-ON MISTAKE.

Tom McGee Interfered With the Official Dog-catcher.

Thomas McGee of No. 208 Warren street was arrested yesterday for interfering with the dog-catcher in the discharge of his duty. He was released on his own recognizance until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

McGee says he saw a little girl crying over a small dog which appeared to have been run over by a wagon, and was entangled in a net. In order to dry the tears of the little girl he rescued the animal and brought the wrath of the dog-catcher upon his head. It had not occurred to McGee that the dog was in the official dog-catcher's net, or he would have been dogged before he would have interfered.

## Getting Advertised.

If advertising was what W. E. de Groot, the user, was after when he enticed Reporter Knight of the Herald into his store, in order to get a chance to throw him out, he is getting plenty of it. He will have a hearing on the charge of battery in the Police Court at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Standing at the door he probably be at a premium. De Groot has many acquaintances who are anxious to see what kind of a figure he will cut before the bar of justice.

Dr. Dwight Still in Jail.  
Dr. Dwight Dwight was to have had his examination on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon, in Justice Morrison's court yesterday afternoon. His attorney, Frank Davis, was busy in another court, however, and asked a continuance till September 29, which was granted. Dr. Dwight has influential friends and relatives, but thus far no law has been furnished for him. He makes himself useful in the City Jail by acting as Assistant Police Surgeon.

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## (THE PUBLIC SERVICE)

## PLANNING PRACTICABLE

## POLICE AND FIRE BOARDS TURN DOWN THY'S SCHEME.

City Electrician Directed to Prepare Plans and Estimates for a Police Signal System.

## EVIDENCE IN THE BRADY CASE.

## IMPORTANT TESTIMONY IN THE MCCAMISH MURDER TRIAL.

The Prisoner's Handcuff Story Flatly Contradicted—Opening Argument for the Prosecution by Deputy District Attorney Williams.

M. P. Thye's proposition to establish a police signal system and to operate it and the fire-alarm system, was rejected yesterday by the Police and Fire Commissioners, sitting in joint session. They found many serious objections to the plan. In the libel suit brought by Mrs. Mary Brady against The Times, some important testimony was introduced yesterday. Further evidence will be given this morning, and it is expected that the arguments will be commenced today.

The prosecution in the McCamish murder case sprung a sensation yesterday at the last moment in the nature of evidence concerning the handcuffs which McCamish testified had been carried away upon the wrists of one of the alleged robbers at Castaic Station immediately after the murder of Constable McCoy. F. L. Constable, of Ventura, brought a pair of handcuffs into court and identified them as the ones referred to by McCamish in his testimony, and said that they had been in his possession for over two years.

Asst. Dist. Atty. Williams opened the argument for the prosecution, and will resume this morning.

## (AT THE CITY HALL)

## DON'T WANT IT.

## POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSIONERS REJECT THY'S PROPOSITION.

His Plan to Establish a Police Signal System and Operate it in Conjunction With the Fire-Alarm System Considered Impracticable.

The proposition of M. P. Thye to construct a police signal system, maintain and operate it, taking charge also of the existing fire-alarm system, was rejected yesterday by the Police and Fire Commissioners, sitting in joint session. The objections to the proposition were so numerous and so serious that the commissioners were unanimous in the opinion that it would not be feasible to accept it.

Thye proposed to enter into a two years' contract with the city, agreeing, in consideration of a salary of \$75 per month, to put in a police signal system with ten boxes, by which communication could be established at any time between the city and the police officers on their beats. This system, as well as the fire-alarm system now in use, Thye proposed to operate and maintain without any additional expense to the city. Both systems, under his plan, would be controlled by him. When the proposition was made, Thye deposited with the City Clerk a check for \$500 as evidence of good faith.

Neither Chief Glass nor Chief Moore was in favor of accepting the proposition. The latter spoke at some length of the high degree of efficiency attained by the city's fire-alarm system under the management of City Electrician Francis. He also pointed out that if the system were turned over to Thye, self-interest would constantly dictate economies at the expense of efficiency. To maintain the system in good condition, constant watchfulness and frequent expenditures are necessary.

Chief Glass thought that a police signal system of ten boxes would be inadequate. Thye had failed to state what particular system he proposed to use.

Mayor Snyder said that it would be illegal for the city to enter into any contract with Thye without first advertising for bids.

Other objections were raised by members of the Fire and Police Boards. Upon motion of Commissioner Wells, the City Electrician was instructed to confer with Chief Glass and prepare plans for a police signal system, with an estimate of cost.

A resolution was then adopted that Thye's proposition be referred to the Council with the recommendation that it be rejected as impracticable, and that his deposit of \$500 be returned.

Chief Glass suggested the advisability of making provision for sub-stations for the police in conjunction with any new fire engine houses that may be built, and that fire stations are needed in the southeastern and southwestern parts of the city, in the hills and at Boyle Heights.

Chief Moore reported that W. J. Gardner, a callman, had been detected in his duty, as charged, and should be exonerated. The Chief reported that J. S. Sloan, callman, had failed to respond promptly to alarms. Sloan gave as an excuse the statement that he is employed as driver of a laundry wagon and was frequently being unable to respond at once when an alarm was given. The Chief was instructed to reprimand him and instruct him in his duties.

The applications of E. C. Bodie, D. R. McDonald and John McGuire for appointment as firemen were filed.

Chief Moore reported, in the matter of T. G. Hutchinson's protest against the erection of oil tanks by the Redondo Railway at the corner of Grand avenue and Del Norte street, that the location is beyond the fire limits and that there is no ordinance prohibiting the work proposed.

A resolution for \$25 was passed, the money to be used for the detection of persons turning in false alarms of fire. The Chief stated that this has become a common practice among mischievous boys.

The Club Filarmónico Mexicano gave a serenade last night to the Mexican Consul, Gen. G. Andrade, in honor of the birthday of Gen. Porfirio Diaz, President of Mexico, and in commemoration of the eighty-seventh anniversary of the independence of Mexico.

The Consul in appropriate phrases thanked the members of the club in the name of Gen. Diaz, and invited them afterward to some refreshments. Several of the leading Mexican citizens were present with the Consul and enjoyed the fine Mexican airs rendered by the band.

## POSTOFFICE CHANGES.

## University People Narrowly Escape Serious Inconvenience.

Through some mistake or oversight at the postoffice headquarters at Washington, the citizens of University were nearly had an opportunity of enjoying the delights of suburban life minus their mail yesterday. The station was ordered discontinued on Tuesday evening, and no provision being made to fill its place, the University mail was in a fair way to become inextricably tangled, when Postmaster Mathews stepped into the breach and upon his own authority established a temporary station for the accommodation of the people of that locality at Wesley avenue and Jefferson street, Assistant Postmaster Humphreys offered to take charge of the improvised station, and will hold the position until orders can be received from Washington.

By orders from headquarters the South Los Angeles office has been changed to sub-station No. 7, with E. P. Ford as clerk in charge, and Pico Heights to sub-station No. 6, with A. B. Morrison as clerk.

The long-delayed addition of eight new carriers to the force went into effect yesterday morning.

## (AT THE COURT HOUSE)

## THE BRADY CASE.

## A THIRTEEN-TOLD TALE REHEARSED FOR THE FOURTH TIME.

Ex-Supervisor Judson Is Doubtful About Mrs. Brady's Verdict. Varying Stories Concerning the Location of Her House and Care of Children.

Judge York's court was occupied all day yesterday with the Brady case, now drawing to the close of its fourth trial. Very little was developed in the way of fresh testimony, and the case will probably be concluded today.

The morning session opened with a continuance of the direct examination of John Judson, who served with Woolman on the Board of Supervisors of San Diego county at the time the alleged libel was printed. Mr. Judson testified that Mrs. Brady had been employed in his own household for some time, and that during that time her character for veracity had proven so shaky that his wife had been compelled to dismiss her as utterly unworthy.

The question of the claims presented by Mrs. Brady to the Board of Supervisors was then gone into, the witness stating that these claims were exceptional in the manner of presentation. The treatment of the children at the day nursery was considered by Mr. Judson to be superior to that received in the home of Mrs. Brady, inasmuch as the accommodations were better and there was always a chance for adoption of indigenous children by visitors to the nursery.

In the cross-examination the same ground was gone over from a slightly different point of view. The old question of the manner of compensation was thrashed out again, the only new feature being the evidence that each Supervisor was accustomed to investigate the indigent claims for his own district, and that the other members of the board were without question, as full investigation of each was practically impossible.

At the close of Mr. Judson's testimony Mr. Montgomery rose and formally waived all claims for vindictive damages, as far as the present trial was concerned, and asked the court for the purpose of shortening investigation and discussion on the question of malice, would demand only actual damages for the injury done to her reputation, and for the humiliation, shame, suffering, etc., endured on account of the article published in The Times.

This was held the effect of knocking out all testimony as to the motive of The Times in making the publication in question. Col. John R. Berry, former editor and publisher of the San Diego Union, and the man who recommended Mr. Goodwin as a trustworthy and accurate reporter, was called to give evidence as to these points, but the introduction of this class of testimony was overruled on account of the waiver of vindictive damages, and Col. Berry was excused. Mr. Gage made a brief statement of what the defense had expected to prove in the matter of the honest intention of the malice toward Mrs. Brady on the part of The Times, and named the witnesses he expected to call in the establishment of this point.

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Brady at home. The children were playing about in the yard, and were extremely distressed in their appearance. The third time he went he loaded the whole group into a hack and took them up to the day nursery. In doing this, witness acknowledged somewhat ruefully that he had accidentally kidnapped one of Mrs. Brady's children, and had been reminded of the fact afterward by the offended mother. Mrs. Brady's house, according to Mr. Nason, was in a most undesirable part of town, situated in what was known as the "squatter's district," on low ground, and within 500 feet of the water at high tide. It was near the barracks and in close proximity to the lowest dives in San Diego. The day nursery, on the contrary, was on high ground and in a most desirable neighborhood with regard to the surroundings. The children, there were excellently cared for by the county, with the assistance of a fund provided by the several colleges, to give the children holidays and other luxuries. The father of the Greathouse children, one of whom had been placed by Woolman in Mrs. Brady's care, had left the children in the day nursery where they went to Mexico, putting up a note for \$250 to indemnify the county for their care.

At this point the question of verifying claims was brought up again, and Mr. Nason, while he admitted that he had verified two emergency claims himself, said that it was a most unusual proceeding for a Supervisor. An attempt was then made to show the general reputation of Mr. Woolman for gallantry, in order to emphasize a point in his testimony of the day before that he had treated Mrs. Brady exactly as he treated other women, but counsel objected violently on the ground of irrelevancy, and the objection was sustained.

Mr. Montgomery led the witness through a tangled and devious path of cross-examination, which produced some amusement but few additional facts, and then Harry Chandler was called. Mr. Chandler's testimony related simply to the fact that he was at the time the article in question was published. The total circulation was 11,200; in San Diego county it was 1,200.

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were carried away by one of the robbers at Castaic in his possession. Williams testified that Pyle was not in Ventura at all upon the day McCamish said he removed the rivets from the handcuffs and set the prisoner free.

The substance of the evidence, therefore, is that McCamish at one time swore Pyle and he had but one pair of handcuffs; that at another time he testified to having had two pairs in his possession; that the pair broken from the suspected robber was one of the handcuffs were carried away by one of the robbers at Castaic. Constable Tryce swears, on the other hand, that this identical pair was in his possession for more than two years, and introduces them in court to substantiate his story.

When court reconvened yesterday morning Asst. Dist. Atty. Williams announced that he had learned of a material witness late on the previous afternoon, after the case had been closed, and asked that the case be opened and the evidence submitted. He stated that the witness was a Constable of Ventura county, and that the trend of his testimony would be to disprove McCamish's stories concerning the handcuffs. Mr. Williams stated further that Mr. Tryce, a constable in the present case, until the afternoon session, and an adjournment was taken till 2 o'clock. In granting the continuance Judge Smith stated that he was uncertain as to whether or not he would allow the promised evidence to go before the jury. When it had been adduced, however, the court permitted the Constable's testimony to go in evidence, its value and relevancy to be determined by the jury.

At 2:30 o'clock Mr. Williams commenced the opening argument for the prosecution, continuing until 5:30 o'clock. Mr. Williams' remarks were confined to the testimony of witnesses and the preliminary examination, calling attention of the jury to discrepancies in the statements of the defendant. The argument for the prosecution will be continued by Mr. Davis, for the defense, will follow and will probably take about three hours. Mr. Kusch, also for the defense, will then address the jury. Mr. Williams will devote an hour or two to the closing argument for the people.

Judge Smith yesterday notified the attorney in the case that arguments must be concluded by Thursday night, as he had other cases set for trial for Friday. Just before the evening adjournment yesterday, however, the court announced that the cases in question had been transferred to another department and that he would allow the attorneys a reasonable length of time in which to close the murder case.

The main point brought out by Mr. Williams yesterday was in connection with the clothing and other articles which McCamish said had been stolen, but which were found in his room a day or two after the murder. It is in evidence that the defendant's own lips told he took Daily Linerberg while returning on the train from the preliminary examination that the articles found in his room must have been placed there by some one who was an enemy of his and was determined to implicate him in the crime. To Sheriff Barker, who had been in the county depot to the County Jail when sent over from Ventura county, the defendant stated that after his return he had returned to his home and his sister at Hanford and had packed the things in his trunk for the purpose of taking them with him. Why McCamish wanted to take with him two extra pairs of shoes and a buckskin robe, which were found among the articles, has not been brought into evidence.

The probable result of the jury's deliberation is, of course, a matter of conjecture. It is conceded, however, that the case is a very close one, upon which to base a verdict. The verdict must be either an acquittal or murder in the first degree, punishable by death or life imprisonment. The manager version has been absolutely dispelled by the defendant in his statement that he did not murder Pyle, and his denial as to the existence of a motive.

WANTS TO SEE IT HIMSELF.

Judge Allen Visits the Woodworth Ranch Levee.

The damage suit against the Southern California Railway Company, in which J. J. Woodworth demands \$50,000 for loss alleged to have been sustained by flood on his ranch in South Los Angeles in 1930, was resumed in Judge Allen's court yesterday morning. The court overruled the demurrer entered by the defense, and the case was argued, pro and con, on Tuesday. The case was then continued till Friday, in order to allow Judge Allen an opportunity to visit the property alleged to have been damaged.

The suit now pending was filed in 1931. In the complaint, Mr. Woodworth alleged that in 1930 the Southern California Railway Company constructed a levee in front of his property on a direct line with First street, thereby narrowing the river from 600 to 300 feet in width. Three years later the river overflowed, owing to the channel being unable to carry the volume of water which the plaintiff ranch was damaged to the extent of several thousand dollars. The complaint further states that since the levee was constructed, the water has been confined in the main channel, has continued to flow over his property, and has caused it to be valueless for purposes of cultivation.

Fixed by the Board of Equalization.

Information has been received by the Board of Supervisors from the State Board of Equalization that the State tax rate for the new year will amount to \$1.40 per \$100 valuation. The rate has been apportioned as follows: General fund, 25 cents; school fund, 22 cents; interest and sinking fund, 14 cents, university fund, 2 cents.

The Board of Supervisors recently secured a reduction in the State assessment of 10 per cent., the original amount being \$100,000,000. This makes no material change in the rate, however, as the levy this year is 49 cents as against 42.9 cents for the year previous. To the amount of the year's levy must be added 2 cents on account of the State University fund, bringing the total up to 51 cents.

HASKIN STILL IN JAIL.

Judge Shaw Refuses a Writ of Habeas Corpus.

Fred Haskin, the young man who has been charged with the murder of Justice of the Peace pretty much during the past month on charges of adultery and disturbing the peace, is still in jail. He was held to answer upon the charge of disturbing the peace and has been languishing in jail in default of \$250 bail.

Attorney Ladd yesterday applied to Judge Shaw for a writ of habeas corpus, but it was denied. A similar motion will be made before Judge Van Dyke this morning.

MR. COULTER'S PETITION.

Application for the Probate of His Deceased Son's Will.

B. F. Coulter, Sr., has filed a petition with the County Clerk for letters testamentary in the matter of his deceased son's will. Mr. Coulter sets forth that his son, B. F. Coulter, Jr., bequeathed to him in his will all his property, consisting of personal prop-

erty and real estate valued at \$25,000 and \$10,000, respectively, and that the petitioner had been appointed executor of the estate without bonds.

## THE DIVORCE MILL.

## Another Decree Ground Out by Judge Clark.

Mrs. E. L. Tower was granted a divorce from her husband, G. W. Tower, by Judge Clark yesterday afternoon. The plaintiff entered the charge of failure to provide—that she had been obliged to earn her own living for several months past, owing to her husband having deserted her.

## FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

## Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown Into the Courts.

SENT TO HIGHLAND. Henry Perlog was examined before Judge Clark yesterday on a charge of insanity, and committed to the asylum at Highland.

DAMAGE SUIT. K. D. Wise has brought suit against the Southern California Railway Company for \$800 damages alleged to have been sustained through the falling of a spark from one of the company's locomotives which set fire to a field in which were several sacks of wheat. The grain was destroyed upon the Wishburn ranch, a short distance out of this city.

TO QUIET TITLE. Robert H. Boal has entered suit against the city of Los Angeles to quiet title to a lot in the Chirriotto tract.

## MOVING TALE OF A DOG.

## How a Deceased Canine Got a Woman Into Trouble.

Mrs. Christina Christman of No. 318 South Hill street was escorted to the Police Station yesterday by a big colored policeman, who had her booked for misdemeanor. Mrs. Christman is a lodging-house keeper, and a stray dog, now deceased, got her into trouble.

The good woman yearned for a good watchdog, and learning that bargains in canines were to be had at the city pound, she went thither and bought one for \$2. She had Tower but a few days, when some envious or malicious person poisoned him. Under the circumstances, Mrs. Christman did not feel that she could afford to spend any money on the dog's funeral. So she inherited the unfortunate cur in her own back yard, in violation of a city health ordinance.

The deceased canine rested in peace just three weeks before the resurrection came. The Gabriel who raised Tower from the grave was Police Officer Randolph who was vested with the authority of the court at the instance of the health officer to arrest Mrs. Christman and exhumate the remains of the dog to be used as evidence of her law-breaking.

Mrs. Christman did not know that it was against the law to have a dog cemetery in one's own back yard. In view of her good standing in the community and evident innocence of intentional wrongdoing, she was allowed to go on her own recognition, until the hour set for her hearing, 2 o'clock this afternoon.

## A Fraternal Visit.

A tally-ho containing Supreme President C. P. Dandy, Supreme Secretary G. S. Bartholomew, A. H. Perkins, S.I.D., and E. A. B. S.J.S. of the Supreme Lodge Fraternal Brotherhood; George L. Keefer, President of La Grange Lodge, No. 8; Prof. Dimond, the pianist, and a male quartette took a moonlight trip to Norwalk last night, where an open public meeting under the auspices of the Norwalk Lodge, No. 1, was held. There was a large audience and the Los Angeles contingent added very materially to the evening's program. Remarks were made by Messrs. Dandy, Bartholomew and Keefer; instrumental selections were given by Prof. Dimond, the quartette sang their choice of numbers and Perkins read his paper, "Will Fraternalism be served, and the Los Angeles party returned to the city in the early morning."

The eighty-seventh anniversary of the independence of Mexico will be celebrated by patriotic Mexicans who reside here at the Music Hall tonight. An elaborate programme has been prepared for the occasion. There will be speeches, music and a grand ball. The Mexican Consul, Guillermo Andrade, Mayor Snyder, Hon. Dr. Victor Rendon and others will be among



## ARIZONA NEWS.

SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENT  
OF CANAL DIFFICULTIES.Prospective Materialization of the  
Flagstaff and Grand Canyon  
Railroad.

## FRED SHARON DISAPPEARED.

GILA RIVER RISING TO A THREAT-  
ENING HEIGHT.A New Street-car Line in Tucson.  
Valuable Machinery Put in Sag-  
inaw Mine-Novel Forage  
Plant for the Mesas.

PHOENIX, Sept. 11.—[Regular Correspondence.] The undercurrent of dissatisfaction on the part of the farmers below the Arizona Canal at the methods of the management and stockholders of that concern is in a good way for being allayed. They have contented that the canal was not carrying its quota of water, and charge that the undergrowth under both the Arizona and Grand canals has not been cut in six or seven years. The silt has not only robbed the canals of much of their capacity, but the dam itself has been rendered comparatively useless. Farmers on the extremes of the canal have been especially bitter. One farmer at Peoria states that since June his five "eighties" have had practically no water at all. This afternoon the farmers discussed their grievance. They held that if they paid their water rentals the money would simply go in as dividends, whereas they wish it expended to clean out the canal and dam. The outlay required they estimated at \$6000 above the crocuscut and \$2000 below it. Prominent in the management was one man whom the farmers had confidence in, Col. William Christy. To him they stated that they were willing to pay him the rentals, provided he would guarantee that the water would be done. This Col. Christy agreed to on the following terms: He will give his personal receipt for the rentals, and undertake to apply the funds on the cleaning out of the canal and the dam. Such farmers as desire to pay in labor have that privilege. The work being a matter of months, crops would suffer were the flow to be suspended until all repairs could be made. A system of alternating with the Tempe Canal has therefore been arranged, one week in the Arizona, the next in the Tempe. At the same time the Tempe people will have the work done cleaned out. This will end the disputes under that system that lately arose between the conflicting interests of the farmers and the cattlemen. The farmers held that their crops required more water, and that work taking several weeks should be put in on the canal. The cattlemen, on the other hand, in junction to prevent it, claiming that their herds would suffer. By the week-in-and-week-out arrangement both factions will be satisfied.

MORE NEW RAILROADS.  
Still the new railroads are coming in, that they may avail themselves of tax exemption. The latest to be filed is the Flagstaff and Grand Canyon, to connect with the Santa Fe line. It will be seventy miles long, and pass on the east side of the San Francisco peaks, terminating at Peoria. The notice puts the project on a safe ground so far as taxes are concerned, should the capital be secured. If all the railroads projected to reach Globe get there, the fortunate citizens of that camp will be offered free passes and free freight with chromes thrown in. The latest is a Phoenix concern, known as the Phoenix, Globe and Copper Belt road, notice of intention to build having been filed today. The incorporators are W. S. Lawrence, J. L. Kurtz, G. A. Poyen, D. A. Abrams and S. H. R. Robinson. The capital stock is \$2,200,000, of which \$150,000 has been subscribed. The estimated length of the road is 110 miles. Hon. James A. Fleming is said to be interested in the enterprise. Still another road filed is the Tucson Street Railway Company. It is a small affair, but bona fide.

AGUA FRIA COMPANY PAYING ITS BILLS.  
The fact that the Agua Fria Company is paying its bills is taken as earnest here that the company proposes to do business and finish its recovery. Judgments in various amounts up to \$2000 are being paid, many of them being assigned labor claims. Judgments were secured by the assignees in some cases, it now remains for more than the amounts due, the laborers having raised their vouchers before disposing of same. The Agua Fria is a splendid irrigation proposition and will be a money-maker eventually. In tackling it, however, the stockholders probably "flew higher than they could roost."

VIVIPAROUS FISH.  
Do any fish bring forth their young

alive? Noted authorities have said they do not, but men in this city who prefer to believe their own eyes say that they do. In the city fountain here was found such a fish. It is a kind of gold-fish, and their young were produced alive at various stages of development. Some were fully formed, and others were so transparent as to appear to be nothing but eyes. The same phenomenon was found at Tucson several years ago by Herbert Brown of that city. The fish were a small species found in abundance in the Santa Cruz River, and the discovery brought forth considerable comment.

MISSING—FRED SHARON.  
Fred Sharon, more or less connected with the Sharon estate, judging from the fact that he frequently received money from the estate, has turned up missing. He came here last winter, stopping at the best hotel, and seemed to be flush with money at all times. He left for the Grand Cañon in June, and nothing has been heard from him since. As numerous registered and other letters have accumulated for him, his absence is in mystery elsewhere for cattle for their own use.

PHOENIX BREVITIES.  
Instead of the Salt River Valley furnishing beef for the rest of the Territory, Albuquerque and Los Angeles, it now appears that the butchers here will have to look elsewhere for cattle for their own use.

As a sort of complement to his hotel here, Mayor Adams is now considering the erection of a summer-resort hotel at Flagstaff. By closing the Phoenix place summers, and transferring his help to his northern hotel, he expects to catch the tourist travel a-going and a-coming.

The following form will apply here for the month of September for at least six hundred cases, the names only needing to be filled in: "M. \_\_\_\_\_ returned last night from \_\_\_\_\_ Cal., where \_\_\_\_\_ has been spending the summer."

The death of Councilman Zoecler leaves the City Council without a quorum, the Mayor and Councilman Sanz both being out of town. As Monday is the date fixed for convening of the City Board of Equalization, the situation is decidedly embarrassing. The best members can do is to meet daily for the period of the meetings, and finally ratify their acts when a quorum meets. Already there are men willing to fill Mr. Zoecler's official shoes. Andrew Barry and C. H. Ming of the Democratic party each believe that in him would be found a good man while C. H. Moore, who was defeated by the deceased, is willing to make another try for it on behalf of the G.O.P. The petition for a school in the vicinity of the Maricopa and Phoenix station will avail nothing. The school district made an effort to erect a suitable building, but nothing of the kind was offered. The habitues of the notorious "A" region have been alarmed at the prospect of such a school, as it means their removal. The Arizona law requires that such resorts shall be 400 yards from any schoolhouse.

Another Arizona statute is in danger of being knocked out. The present laws pertaining to foreign insurance companies are understood to be in violation of the United States treaties with foreign nations. Should this prove true, either the treaties or the Arizona statute will have to give way.

The Gila River is rising steadily and the railroad company has had a force of men at work keeping drifts away from the supports of the bridge. That river is now within a short distance of the height at which it took out the bridge last October.

A. T. Herd, the young Kentuckian who has been getting rather hard named during his brief residence here, is minus his trunk now, for certain. He failed to file his answer to the attachment by Mrs. Hart in time, and lost his trunk by default. He was as it were taken from it articles useful to himself alone, and of no monetary value, but this opposition prevented. An order will have to be issued for the sale of the trunk.

Frank Dresser, a gambler, formerly of Prescott, has been convicted of manslaughter in Anaconda, Mont. In February last Dresser found his wife with Sherman Ransom, and killed them both. It was not our Tom Fitch after all. When the announcement was made that Thomas Fitch had been appointed Immigration Commissioner of the Port of New York, the conclusion was reached here that it must be our own Tom of the silver tongue. Fitch stumped the country in company with Speaker Reed of the House of Representatives, and there were plenty who said that Fitch made the better speech of the two. Be that as it may, however, no position with large emoluments, plenty of honor and dignity, and not too much arduous duty had been tendered Fitch, for if it had he would surely accept it. He will return to Phoenix to reside, in a few days.

Board of Regents, with fees of \$10 a meeting. Republicans are not falling over each other congratulating the Governor on his choice. They seem to think there are men of their own party left who would make good chancellors.

The Board of Trade has endorsed the Southern Pacific's proposition to furnish water for the city, and this endorsement is expected to accomplish the business. The proposition is that the railroad furnish the city water for 15 cents per 1000 gallons, the city to furnish the supply plant. The billay for the city is estimated at \$7000. This move will give Tucson abundance of water.

Tucson will soon have a street-car line. It will only be a mule car proposition, to be sure, but it will be walking all to pieces. The line will connect the university with the city, and is intended not only to bring "over the track" and the city nearer together, but to enhance values of real estate in the vicinity of the university. An electric line is what Tucson really needs. The capital stock is placed at \$25,000, and the incorporators are Freeman, M. G. Samaniego, J. H. Tevis, Frank H. Hereford, N. H. Matas and C. F. Hoyt.

Saginaw, for years a semi-advanced gold property nine miles south of town, is taking on a grand resurrection. Following the big ore finds made there a few months ago, the property is now in of surprising extent. It includes one 160-horse power Corliss engine, two Huntington mills, one Gates rock crusher, six Witby concentrators, one 180-horse power tubular boiler, together with the necessary shafting. With this in place, the crushing capacity will be increased to 100 tons per day. From nothing has grown a town that in addition to the company's buildings, includes twenty-seven tents. The camp is proving a valuable feeder to Tucson.

A local paper suggests in this wise: "It is to be hoped that the director of the Tucson experimental station will procure a supply of the seeds of 'Bromus inermis,' a forage plant indigenous to the Russian steppes, a large quantity of the seed having been recently purchased by the Department of Agriculture. This plant should have a thorough test on our dry mesas. There can be but little doubt that somewhere in the world may be found grasses exactly suited to the conditions prevailing in the arid Southwest."

Daniel Drummond, for several years a resident of Tucson, seems imbued with more than a touch of the melo-drama in his mind. Six months ago or a year ago he left town in such a manner as to produce a sensation, leaving no address and letting his mail accumulate. His little play worked, and his friends said that "old man Drummond" must be dead. Then one day they learned that he had been fooling them. He had been in San Francisco, where he has been in the sensational business again. It seems that when he came here years ago, he had been abandoned by some small children in Boulder, Colo. Mrs. Drummond has taken in boarders for a livelihood since. A few days ago Drummond was made happy by half a column in the Denver Republican describing his return. He had his wife meet him in San Francisco and they had returned home a day or two after his own. "He then posed as an applicant for board," to see if the children would know him." Commenting thereon, the paper said: "Daniel's creditors in Tucson have the pleasure of welcoming him back within the next nine years they too will be overlooked at the reunion."

A long-distance telephone will probably soon be put in the Saginaw and San Xavier mining camps. A telephone line to Phoenix is also projected.

PRESCOTT, Sept. 11.—[Regular Correspondence.] A thirty-five-ounce nugget of gold was found on Lynx Creek place, this morning.

Prescott now has a show to get that much-needed smelter. The Mining Exchange has received a letter, asking them to recommend a copper property to be worked in connection with a smelter which a company propose to build in Prescott. If the company can find a good mine they propose at once to build.

TEMPERATURE.  
TEMPERATURE, Sept. 11.—[Regular Correspondence.] Salt River is again on the rampage. At one time it had 100,000 inches of water flowing over the Arizona Canal dam. It fell in a few hours to 15,000 inches, but soon took another rise, in response to heavy rains in the Verde country. All the canals are full, and the river is above the fording point. Owing to almost daily rains this condition seems to have become normal.

ARIZONA AT LARGE.  
In December, 1895, John Miller of Morenci disappeared, dropping from view as though the earth had swallowed him. Search was made for his body everywhere. Tunnels, shafts and gulches, all of which abound thereabouts, were explored, and all in vain. The last seen of him he shouldered his Winchester and started for Gold Gulch to do some assessment work. In a fight with the Mexican desperadoes who killed Pablo Salcido, a merchant at Morenci, shortly after Miller's disappearance, the rifle was found on a Mexican shot and killed in the encounter. A few days ago a grave was found in a lonesome spot on Eagle Creek, six miles from town. It was opened, which work did not take long, as the grave was shallow, and within was found the body of Miller. The seven tents, the clothing and the rifle were given a Christian burial. No further arrests have been made, as the authorities believe the right man has been caught already in the dead desperado.

From the Tonto country comes report of another victim of the dreaded "fohy" skunk. The case there proved fatal. The Pasteur treatment is effectual for it, but costly. Should the epidemic keep up a branch Pasteur institute would do well in Arizona.

Still the cattleman is being blessed. On top of a big calf crop and good range generally excellent, the Arizona and Pacific Railroad is in progress. At Peach Springs a hostler named H. J. Allison, engineer of the yard engine at the Springs, became involved in a fight with a cowboy named Holey, and the latter drew a knife and plunged it into the left side of Allison, killing him instantly. The murderer was arrested.

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